June 21, 2004

Mike Leavitt, Administrator U.S. Environmental Protection Agency P.O. Box 1473 Merrifield, VA 22116

Re: HPV Chemical Challenge Program, Amendment of Commitment on CAS Nos. 64175 and 110189

Dear Mr. Leavitt:

This letter is to clarify another that was sent 29 April 2004 (AR-201-15361). Crompton Corporation on 22 December 1999 informed you that it was sponsoring CAS Nos. 64175 and 110189 under the HPV Chemical Challenge Program as follows:

CAS Number	Chemical Name	Start Year Date	Consortia/Panel
64175	Ethyl alcohol	2003	None
110189	Ethylamine, 2,2' -oxybis [N,N-dimethyl-	2003	None

Through this letter, we are informing you that Crompton Corporation is no longer able to sponsor this chemical under the HPV Chemical Challenge Program. On July 31, 2003, Crompton Corporation sold our interest in 110189 and we no longer import 64175 as a result of that sale. That interest is currently owned by GE Specialty Chemicals, and we are therefore not able to continue to support this chemical in the HPV Challenge Program.

Crompton's commitment for the remaining CAS Nos. listed in our 22 December 1999 letter to you remains intact.

Should you have any questions please do not hesitate to contact me directly at (203) 573-2219. My fax number is (203) 573-4531.

Sincerely yours,

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